



2023 NAMA FORAY SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, AUG. 24TH

11:30 AM–6:00 PM	Registration: Lobby of Kanuga Main Lodge
1:00–3:30 PM	Early Bird Foray #1: Kanuga Lake Trail
3:00 PM	Official check-in for room reservations begins
5:00–6:30 PM	Dinner: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
6:30–7:00 PM	Foray & Workshop Registration Help: Lobby of Kanuga Main Lodge
7:00–9:00 PM	Evening Program: Balthis-Rodwell Building
7:00–7:15 PM	Welcome and Announcements
7:15–7:45 PM	Voucher Collection Project, Finds-of-the-Day Awards with Dr. Andy Wilson
7:45–9:00 PM	Keynote: Western North Carolina & the Southern Blue Ridge: An Ecological Perspective Detailing Native Plant Communities Gary Kauffman
9:15–11:00 PM	Evening Social: Cunningham-Nevius Pavillion

FRIDAY, AUG. 25TH

7:00–8:30 AM	Breakfast: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
7:30–8:00 AM	Full-day foray participants pick up box lunches
9:00–11:15 AM	Onsite Beginners Foray #2: Doug Stirling Trail, accessible on foot from Kanuga
9:00–10:15 AM	Special Rare Wetland Walk #1 Onsite Gary Kauffman
8:00–11:15 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #3: Game Lands with Scenic Cascade
8:00–11:15 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #4: Picnic Area by the Creek
8:00–11:15 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #5: Game Lands at Higher Elevation
8:00–11:30 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #20: Conservancy 2
8:00 AM–4:15 PM	Full-Day Van Foray #6: High Elevation
8:30 AM–4:15 PM	Full-Day Van Foray #7: North Carolina State Park
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #1: Mesmerized By What Your Eyes Have Seen: An Introduction to Mushroom Identification Arleen Bessette Balthis-Rodwell
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #2: Usual and Unusual Fungi Found in North Carolina Dr. Rytas Vilgalys Gooch Main
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #3: The Future of American Truffle Cultivation: Destined to be Left Behind? Jasmine Richardson Gooch Room A



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9:00 AM	Silent Auction Opens Library Room, Main Lodge
9:30–11:30 AM	Workshop: DNA Barcoding Mandie Quark St. John's Room, Kanuga Lodge (below dining hall)
9:30–11:30 AM	Workshop: Making and Cooking with Koji Jeremy Umansky Clarke Classroom, Minkler Grove
9:30–11:30 AM	Workshop: Cordyceps Cultivation Jeff Manganaro Hunter Classroom, Minkler Grove
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Lecture #4: Polypore Identification: Where to Begin Dr. Alan Bessette Balthis-Rodwell
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Lecture #5: Medicinal Mushrooms – Part 1: The Body Dr. Cornelia Cho Gooch Main
11:15 AM	Morning forays return and drop off specimens Voucher Collection Project Room, St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
12:00–1:15 PM	Lunch: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
1:00– 4:15 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #8: Hendersonville State Forest
1:00–4:15 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #9: Conservancy 1
12:30–4:30 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #21: Conservancy 3
12:30–4:30 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #10: South Carolina State Park
1:15–2:30 PM	Lecture #6: An Outline of North American Macrofungi Biodiversity in Ten Years Stephen Russell Balthis-Rodwell
1:15–2:30 PM	Lecture #7: Regenerative Mycology William Padilla Brown Gooch Main
1:15–2:30 PM	Lecture #8: Slime Molds Dr. Julia Kerrigan Gooch Room A
1:00–5:00 PM	Workshop: Basket Weaving Karen Milnes Jackson Classroom, Minkler Grove
1:30–3:30 PM	Workshop: DNA Barcoding Mandie Quark St. John's Room, Kanuga Lodge (below dining hall)
3:00–4:15 PM	Lecture #9: Richer than Gold: the Fungal Biodiversity of Reserva Los Cedros, a Threatened Andean Cloud Forest Part 1 Danny Newman Gooch Main
3:00–4:15 PM	Lecture #10: Sleeping Giants: Morchellaceae Truffles in Eastern North America Benjamin Lemmond Gooch Room A
3:00–4:15 PM	Review of Specimen Collections with Mycologists Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
4:00–5:30 PM	NAMA Board Meeting Gooch Room C



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4:15 PM	Afternoon and Full-day Forays return: Drop-off specimens Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
5:00–6:30 PM	Dinner: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
6:45–7:30 PM	Foray & Workshop Registration Help: Lobby of Kanuga Main Lodge
7:00–9:00 PM	Evening Program: Balthis-Rodwell Building
7:00–7:15 PM	Announcements
7:15–7:30 PM	Voucher Update and Finds-of-the-Day Awards with Dr. Andy Wilson
7:30–7:45 PM	NAMA Awards and Scholarships with Bruch Reed & Kathy Yerich
7:45–9:00 PM	Friday Keynote: Mushrooms of the Southern Appalachians Dr. Brandon Matheny
9:00–11:00 PM	Workshop: UV Night Hike Alan Rockefeller and Patrick Mitchell Starting after Keynote, meets at Minkler Grove
9:15–11:00 PM	Evening Social: Cunningham-Nevis Pavillion

SATURDAY, AUG. 26TH

7:00–8:30 AM	Breakfast: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
7:30–8:00 AM	Full-day Foray participants pick up box lunches
8:30–11:15 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #11: North Carolina State Forest
8:00–11:30 AM	Half-Day Van Foray #12: Appalachian Bog
9:15–11:30 AM	Half-Day Self-drive/Carpooling Foray #18: Camp Ton-A-Wandah (5 min from Kanuga) Walk A
8:30 AM–4:30 PM	Full-Day Van Foray #13: Headwaters Valley
9:30 AM–4:15 PM	Full-Day Van Foray #14: County Line Riparian Forest with Local Lunch (\$25)
8:30 AM–4:15 PM	Full-Day Van Foray #15: NC/SC State Line Riparian Forest
9:00–10:15 AM	Special Rare Wetland Walk #2 Onsite Gary Kauffman
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #11: The Forest Mycobiome: DNA-based Study of a Truffle Orchard Dr. Rytas Vilgalys Balthis-Rodwell
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #12: Overview of Mycotextiles Dr. Julia Kerrigan Gooch Main
9:00–10:15 AM	Lecture #13: Medicinal Mushrooms – Part 2: The Brain Dr. Cornelia Cho Gooch Room A
9:30–11:30 AM	Workshop: Making and Cooking with Koji Jeremy Umansky Clarke Classroom, Minkler Grove



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9:30–11:30 AM	Workshop: Cordyceps Cultivation Jeff Manganaro Hunter Classroom, Minkler Grove
10:00 AM–12:00 PM	Workshop: Culinary Arts Tasting Olga Katic Cunningham-Nevius Pavillion
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Lecture #14: Polypore Identification: Where to Begin Dr. Alan Bessette Balthis-Rodwell
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Lecture #15: The Future of American Truffle Cultivation: Destined to Be Left behind? Jasmine Richardson Gooch Main
10:45 AM–12:00 PM	Lecture #16: Fungi and their Relationship with Plants Dr. Kristen Wickert Gooch Room A
11:15 AM	Morning forays return, drop-off specimens: Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
12:00–1:15 PM	Lunch: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
1:00–4:15 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #16: North Carolina State Forest
12:30–4:30 PM	Half-Day Van Foray #17: North Carolina State Park with Special Permission
1:30–4:30 PM	Half-Day Self-drive/Carpooling Foray #19: Camp Ton-A-Wandah (5 min from Kanuga) Walk B
1:00–5:00 PM	Workshop: Basket Weaving Karen Milnes Jackson Classroom, Minkler Grove
1:15–2:30 PM	Lecture #17: Migratory Mushroom Foraging in North America William Padilla-Brown Balthis-Rodwell
1:15–2:30 PM	Lecture #18: Richer than Gold: the Fungal Biodiversity of Reserva Los Cedros, a Threatened Andean Cloud Forest Part 2 Danny Newman Gooch Main
3:00–4:30 PM	Review of Specimen Collections with Mycologists Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
3:00–4:15 PM	Lecture #19: An Overview of the Genus Mallocybe (Inocybaceae) from North America Dr. Brandon Matheny Balthis-Rodwell
3:00–4:15 PM	Lecture #20: Fungi and their Relationship with Plants Dr. Kristen Wickert Gooch Main
3:00–4:15 PM	Lecture #21: Tuber, the Über Truffle Benjamin Lemmond Gooch Main
3:00–5:00 PM	Workshop: Culinary Arts Tasting Olga Katic Cunningham-Nevius Pavillion
4:15 PM	Afternoon and full-day forays return: drop off specimens Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul's Colhoun Gymnasium
5:00–6:30 PM	Dinner: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge



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7:00–9:00 PM	Evening Program: Balthis-Rodwell Building
7:00–7:15 PM	Announcements
7:15–7:30 PM	Voucher Update and Finds-of-the-Day Awards with Dr. Andy Wilson
7:30–8:00 PM	Art Contest: Rose Tursi Next Year’s Foray: Mandie Quark and Trent Blizzard
8:00–9:15 PM	Keynote: Mountains-to-Sea: Fungal Diversity of North Carolina Arleen Bessette Balthis-Rodwell
9:15–11:00pm	Workshop: UV Night Hike Alan Rockefeller and Patrick Mitchell Starting after Keynote, meets at Minkler Grove
9:30 PM	Silent Auction Ends
9:30–11:00 PM	Evening Social: Cunningham-Nevius Pavillion

SUNDAY, AUG. 27TH

7:00–8:30 AM	Breakfast: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge
9:00–10:00 AM	Pack up and check out of rooms (check out no later than 10:00 AM)
10:15–11:45 AM	Final Collections Walk-Through Voucher Collection Project Room at St. Paul’s Colhoun Gymnasium
12:00–1:15 PM	Lunch: Dining Hall at Kanuga Main Lodge

IMPORTANT NOTES

All forays leave from the Main Lodge.
Please be 15 to 20 minutes early, as forays must always leave **ON TIME***



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